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<b><u>ILLINOIS, South</u></b>							
<b>Williamson County</b>							
Marion	01	1750CST			0 0	2K	Thunderstorm Wind
Several trees and power lines were blown down.							
<b>Wabash County</b>							
Mt Carmel	02	1711CST			0 0	20K	Thunderstorm Wind
Trees and power lines were blown down. A roof was blown off a house, and a construction trailer was overturned. At least two vehicles and a house were damaged by falling trees.							
<b>Wayne County</b>							
Mt Erie	02	1815CST			0 0	5K	Thunderstorm Wind
Dozens of large trees were blown down, and roofing was blown off a pole barn.							
<b>Gallatin County</b>							
2 W Junction to Ridgway	02	1835CST			0 0	20K	Thunderstorm Wind
Trees were blown down. A roof was blown off a restaurant near the intersection of Highways 1 and 13.							
<b>White County</b>							
Carmi	07	1315CST			0 0	20K	Lightning
A lightning-induced fire destroyed two barns							
<b>Edwards County</b>							
Albion	07	1535CST			0 0	15K	Thunderstorm Wind
Roofs were off buildings, and tree limbs were down.							
<b>Alexander County</b>							
Cairo	08	1015CST			0 0		Thunderstorm Wind (52)
Large tree limbs were blown down.							
<b>Hardin County</b>							
Elizabethtown	19	1815CST			0 0		Thunderstorm Wind (52)
Trees were blown down.							
<b>Perry County</b>							
Pinckneyville	19	1945CST			0 0	10K	Thunderstorm Wind
Trees and power lines were down. One tree fell on a house, and another tree fell on a vehicle.							
<b>Perry County</b>							
Pinckneyville	19	1945CST			0 0	50K	Lightning
The sheriff's office received extensive damage. All radio and telephone communications were knocked out for up to 30 minutes. Some electrical appliances were damaged.							
<b>Jefferson County</b>							
Mt Vernon to Scheller	19	2045CST			0 0		Thunderstorm Wind (52)
Trees were down near Mt. Vernon and Scheller.							
<b>Saline County</b>							
Eldorado	19	2045CST			0 0		Thunderstorm Wind (52)
Trees and power lines were blown down.							
<b>Franklin County</b>							
West Frankfort	19	2130CST 2330CST			0 0		Urban/Sml Stream Fld
Persistent thunderstorms dumped up to 3 inches of rain within a few hours. A nursing home in West Frankfort called for civil defense sandbagging. Water was over some roads.							
<b>Massac County</b>							
Metropolis	21	1645CST			0 0	5K	Thunderstorm Wind
Power lines were down throughout the city.							



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### ILLINOIS, South

#### Massac County

Metropolis to Brookport	30	1715CST 1830CST			0	0		Urban/Sml Stream Fld
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A slow-moving thunderstorm dumped 2.95 inches of rain in Metropolis. 2.2 inches fell in one hour and 15 minutes. Some street flooding occurred, and creeks were over their banks in both Brookport and Metropolis.

### INDIANA, Southwest

#### Warrick County

Boonville	02	1810CST			0	0		Thunderstorm Wind (52)
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Large tree limbs up to 24 inches in diameter were blown down.

#### Gibson County

2 W Princeton to 1.5 S Princeton	19	1700CST 1703CST			0	0	8K	Thunderstorm Wind (52)
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A tin roof was peeled off. Large tree limbs were blown down

#### Pike County

Petersburg	19	1730CST			0	0	3K	Thunderstorm Wind
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Several trees were blown down in Petersburg. A large limb fell on a motor home.

#### Spencer County

New Boston	19	1750CST			0	0		Thunderstorm Wind (52)
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Several trees were blown down.

### KENTUCKY, Southwest

#### Daviess County

West Louisville to 2 E (Owb)Owensboro Ar	02	1843CST 1848CST			0	0	20K	Thunderstorm Wind
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A microburst near West Louisville blew down one or two tobacco barns and carports. Trees were snapped off, including one that landed on a house. Fence posts that were set in concrete were ripped up. Bleachers and a scoreboard at a school were damaged. A damage survey conducted by the NWS determined a microburst about 1/4 mile wide and 1/2 mile long caused the damage

#### Union County

2 W Morganfield	02	1858CST			0	0		Thunderstorm Wind (52)
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A couple large trees were down.

#### Webster County

3 S Dixon	02	1925CST			0	0		Thunderstorm Wind (52)
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Scattered trees were blown down, and a medium size pickup truck was blown off the road.

#### McLean County

Calhoun	02	1930CST			0	0	10K	Thunderstorm Wind
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Several trees were down, including one that fell on a trailer. The roof was blown off a service station pump shelter.

#### Fulton County

Hickman to Fulton	07	1700CST 1758CST			0	0		Urban/Sml Stream Fld
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A thunderstorm produced very heavy rain, possibly around 2 inches per hour. Two state roads were closed due to flooding near Cayce and Hickman. Major street flooding occurred in Fulton.

#### Fulton County

Cayce to Fulton	07	1740CST 1758CST			0	0	5K	Thunderstorm Wind
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A large tree was blown across a roadway. The roof of a toolshed was blown into a pond.



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<b>Ballard County</b> 3 NW Wickliffe	08	1025CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (50)
Scattered trees were down along the Ohio River.									
<b>Trigg County</b> Canton to Linton	21	1455CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (52)
Numerous trees were blown down in Canton and Linton.									
<b>Ballard County</b> 1 S Bandana	21	1626CST			0	0	25K		Thunderstorm Wind
Two barns and a house were damaged. A car inside one of the barns was also damaged.									
<b>McCracken County</b> 2 SW Paducah to Paducah	21	1640CST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind (52)
A wind gust to 60 MPH was reported along Interstate 24 near Paducah. Blocks were blown from the top part of the wall of an apartment building in Paducah. Some cars below were damaged by the falling blocks.									
<b>Marshall County</b> Calvert City	21	1717CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (50)
Several large tree limbs were down.									
<b>Hickman County</b> Columbus	29	0735CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (52)
A couple trees were down.									
<b>Graves County</b> Mayfield	29	0830CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind
Several downed trees and limbs blocked city streets and interrupted power.									
<b>Todd County</b> Fairview to Elkton	29	0930CST 1100CST			0	0			Urban/Sml Stream Fld
1.63 inches of rain fell in an hour at Elkton. Water was over several roads around Fairview. Creeks were swollen.									
<b>Daviess County</b> Owensboro	29	1200CST 1500CST			0	0			Urban/Sml Stream Fld
Thunderstorms dumped 2.23 inches of rain on Owensboro during the afternoon. Water remained pooled at some intersections late into the evening. At least one motorist was stranded in water.									
<b>Ballard County</b> La Center to Kevil	30	1600CST 1730CST			0	0	20K		Flash Flood
A slow-moving thunderstorm dumped up to 2.5 inches of rain per hour along U.S. 60 from La Center to Kevil. Creek floodwaters were 2 feet deep in a machine shop in La Center, and a house was evacuated. A furniture store and tanning salon in Kevil were flooded. Two secondary roads were closed due to flooding.									
<b>McCracken County</b> Ragland to West Paducah	30	1620CST 1745CST			0	0			Flash Flood
Around 2.5 inches of rain per hour fell in parts of northwest McCracken County as a thunderstorm passed. Two secondary roads were closed due to flooding, and two others were barely passable									



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<b><u>MISSOURI, Southeast</u></b>									
<b>New Madrid County</b>									
Gideon	07	1630CST			0	0	5K		Thunderstorm Wind (52)
									Trees and power lines were down.
<b>Cape Girardeau County</b>									
Millersville	08	0918CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (50)
									Large tree limbs were blown down.
<b>Bollinger County</b>									
Marble Hill to Scopus	08	0944CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (52)
									Trees were blown down.
<b>Scott County</b>									
1 S Blodgett	08	1000CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (50)
									A couple of trees were down.
<b>Mississippi County</b>									
3 NE Wyatt	08	1015CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (50)
									Scattered tree limbs were down.
<b>Cape Girardeau County</b>									
Cape Girardeau	19	2120CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (52)
									Trees were blown down.
<b>Carter County</b>									
Fremont	22	1615CST			0	0			Hail(0.75)
<b>Butler County</b>									
10 NW Poplar Bluff to Poplar Bluff	24	1330CST 1348CST			0	0	10K		Thunderstorm Wind
									Strong winds blew down trees. Several trees fell across Highway PP near Poplar Bluff, including one tree that hit a moving UPS truck. The truck's cab roof caved in, and the front window was broken, but the driver was uninjured. The highway was closed for 2 hours.
<b>Bollinger County</b>									
Grassy to 7 S Marble Hill	24	1400CST 1410CST			0	0	10K		Thunderstorm Wind (52)
									Trees were blown down, including one that fell through the roof of a mobile home. The roof was torn off a shed.
<b>Stoddard County</b>									
Bloomfield	24	1430CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (50)
									A tree was blown down.
<b>Perry County</b>									
Crosstown	24	1630CST			0	0			Thunderstorm Wind (50)
									Scattered trees were blown down across the county.